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- 6. (Amended) The polypeptide of claim 4 which inhibits binding of tumor cells to type IV collagen.
- 7. (Amended) The polypeptide of claim 4 which inhibits tumor cell invasion into basement membranes.
- 8. (Amended) The polypeptide of claim 4 which whibits tumor cell metastasis.

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- (Amended) A peptide-conjugate comprising a polypeptide having the sequence gly-vallys-gly-asp-lys-gly-asn-pro-gly-trp-pro-gly-ala-pro, which is in the all D-form, wherein the polypeptide is bonded to a non-peptide moiety.
- 15. (Amended) The peptide-conjugate of claim 14 further comprising a cytotoxic agent covalently bonded thereto.

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- (Amended) A method of inhibiting tumor cell binding to type IV collagen comprising contacting the tumor cell with a polypeptide of claim 4 or a peptide-conjugate of claim 14.
- 17. (Amended) A method of inhibiting tumor cell invasion of a basement membrane comprising modulating the tumor cell with a polypeptide of claim 4 or a peptide-conjugate of claim 14.
- (Amended) A method of inhibiting tumor cell metastasis comprising modulating the tumor cell with a polypeptide of claim 4 or a peptide-conjugate of claim 14.

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(New) A polypeptide having the sequence pro-ala-gly-pro-trp-gly-pro-asn-gly-lys-asp-gly-lys-val-gly, which is in the all D-form.

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23. (New) The polypeptide of claim 22 further comprising a cytotoxic agent covalently bonded thereto.

24. (New) The polypeptide of claim 22 which inhibits binding of tumor cells to type IV collagen.

- 25. (New) The polypeptide of claim 22 which inhibits tumor cell invasion into basement membranes.
- 26. (New) The polypeptide of claim 22 which inhibits tumor cell metastatis.
- (New) A peptide-conjugate comprising a polypeptide pro-ala-gly-pro-trp-gly-pro-asn-gly-lys-asp-gly-lys-val-gly, which is in the all D-form, wherein the polypeptide is bonded to a non-peptide moiety.
- 28. (New) The peptide-conjugate of claim 27 further comprising a cytotoxic agent covalently bonded thereto.
- 29. (New) A method of inhibiting tumor cell binding to type IV collagen comprising contacting the tumor cell with a polypeptide of claim 22 or a peptide-conjugate of claim 27.
- 30. (New) A method of inhibiting tumor cell invasion of a basement membrane comprising modulating the tumor cell with a polypeptide of claim 22 or a peptide-conjugate of claim 27.

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31. (New) A method of inhibiting tumor cell metastatis comprising modulating the tumor cell with a polypeptide of claim 22 on a peptide-conjugate of claim 27.

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(New) A peptide-conjugate comprising a polypeptide having the sequence gly-val-lys-gly-asp-lys-gly-asn-pro-gly-trp-pro-gly-ala-pro, which is in the all L-form, wherein the polypeptide is bonded to a non-peptide moiety selected from the group consisting of an organic group having an alkyl chain, a phospholipid, a polyakylene glycol, a DNA intercalator, a metal chelator, an alkylating agent, and a membrane-disrupting agent.